MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Well Driller's Commission MGS 17 Elkins Lane, Augusta, ME

ATTENDEES:

Commission Members:

Legal Counsel:

Dwight Doughty

Hydrogeologist, DOT, Chairperson

David Braley

Hydrogeologist, MeCDC

Mike Otley

Public Member

Daniel Locke

Hydrogeologist, MGS

Glenn Dyer

Master Well Driller

Frank Hegarty

Master Well Driller

Joe Gallant

Master Well Driller

Deanna White,

AAG

Guests:

Dave Philbrook,

State Inspector

Helena Starr

Complainant

CALL-IN:

Rock Libby

Anthony O'Connor

Complainants

Minutes Prepared By:

Tina Lemieux

DWP, clerk

PROCEEDINGS: 9:00 am

(this meeting was not recorded due to technical difficulties)

Motion to discuss.

MOTION: Frank Hegarty

2ND: Mike Otley

VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Review of Meeting Minutes:

Motion to accept the minutes from June 13, 2018, meeting.

MOTION: Frank Hegarty

2ND: Mike Otley

VOTE: Unanimous

TOPIC: Exam Applications

None

TOPIC: Specialty Well Applications

STERNS-BURNS_SWA

Motion to accept the SWA at 120', 10" hole, grouting from bottom-up

MOTION: Glenn Dyer

2ND: Frank Hegarty **VOTE**: Unanimous

TOPIC: SWA In-House Approvals

ALLEN-BURNS_SWA CONSTANCE-BURNS SWA

TOPIC: Other Business

None

TOPIC: Complaints

STARR-O'CONNOR - complaint, ongoing,

- Rock Libby and Anthony O'Connor attended via conference phone.
- Helena Starr was present for the meeting.
- David Philbrook is on vacation. Waiting for formal report from David Philbrook.
- Violations were discussed and tallied. A letter will be drafted and submitted to the Assistant AG for review. After review, the letter and list of violations will be sent via certified letter to Rock Libby and Anthony O'Connor.
- Anthony O'Connor will not be allowed to sit for exams this year, the exam fee will be refunded.

Motion to keep as is in Policy:

31 pts x \$200. = \$6200.

4-month suspension / 12-month probation

MOTION: Frank Hegarty

2ND: Mike Otley

VOTE: Unanimous

Motion to hold Anthony O'Connor at apprentice level 1-year probation period, then resubmit for exams.

MOTION: Glenn Dyer

2ND: Mike Otley

VOTE: Unanimous

ADJOURN: 11:04 am

Motion to adjourn.

MOTION: Mike Otley

2ND: David Braley

VOTE: Unanimous